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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE -  
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Attorney Docket No. 9209-7

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re: Lin Yu  
Serial No.: 09/896,179  
Filed: June 29, 2001  
For: DEFERRED INDEX BUILDING SYSTEMS, METHODS AND  
COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCTS FOR STORING TEMPORALLY  
SPACED APART BURSTS OF DATA RECORDS IN A DATABASE

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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION AFTER FINAL ACTION  
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.116**

Sir:

Applicant provides the present Request for Reconsideration to address the issues raised in the final Office Action mailed March 24, 2004.

It is not believed that an extension of time and/or additional fee(s)-including fees for net addition of claims-are required, beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. In the event, however, that an extension of time is necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such an extension is hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). Any additional fees believed to be due in connection with this paper may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.